

In response to your letter dated January 27, 2006 regarding the October Monthly Report (9/1/05-9/30/05) please note that the Committee will file an amended report today to indicate the transfers from the federal campaign committees itemized on Schedule A supporting Line 11(c) and we have changed the reporting of the in-kinds on Line 23 as you requested.

You have stated that two individuals appear to have exceed the contribution limits. Our records indicate that both Mr. Kamali and Mr. Sandi gave contributions of \$25,000 each in June, 2005 and that both individuals' banks returned the checks to us in July, 2005 unpaid. These negatives were reported on the August Monthly report however since they were negative numbers they were mistakenly included on the unitemized line. We are correcting that oversight and we will file an amended August monthly to show these negatives.

You have stated that three individuals have incorrect aggregate totals. Mr. Kamali and Mr. Sandi are correct as their previous contributions were not paid by their respective banks (see above) and Dr. Baker is also correct as filed. He contributed \$150 in January 2005 and \$2100 in September 2005.

You have stated that the Committee received payments from federal candidate committees, two businesses, and two organizations which are not political committees registered with the Commission. In each case, as stated in prior months, the Committee passes on the full cost incurred by the Committee of all goods and/or services provided to federal candidate committees, businesses, and non-registered organizations, as well as any individuals seeking those goods and/or services. The full cost incurred by the Committee with no discount or mark-up consitutes "usual and normal charge" on the part of the Committee. There are no contributions being made by the Committee by providing a discount to candidate committees and there are no contributions received by the Committee by charging additional costs to businesses, individuals, or unregistered organizations.

Please contact me if you have any additional questions or concerns. Thank you.
